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AT the Court at *St. James's* the 1st Day of *March*, 1757,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council, of the Fourth of February laſt, For paying the reſpective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and alſo to all Able-bodied Landmen, who ſhould voluntarily enter themſelves in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; and likewiſe for paying the Rewards to Perſons diſcovering Seamen who ſhould conceal themſelves, will expire upon the Tenth Day of this Inſtant March: And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given, ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, That the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to ſuch Seaman and Landman reſpectively, who ſhall, on or before the Twelfth Day of April next, enter themſelves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majeſty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January laſt: And likewiſe, That the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Perſons who ſhall, on or before the ſaid Twelfth Day of April next, diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who ſhall conceal themſelves, ſo as ſuch Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majeſty's Service. Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

Weſtminſter, March 11.

THIS Day, the Lords being met, a Meſſage was ſent to the Honourable Houſe of Commons, by the Honourable Sir Henry Bellenden, Gentleman-Uſher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that, *The Lords, authorized by Virtue of His Majeſty's Commiſſion, for declaring His Royal Aſſent to ſeveral Acts agreed upon by both Houſes, do deſire the immediate Attendance of this Honourable Houſe in the Houſe of Peers, to hear the Commiſſion read*; and the Commons being come thither, the ſaid Commiſſion, impowering the Lord Preſident of the Council, the Lord Privy Seal, and ſeveral other Lords, to declare and notify the Royal Aſſent to ſeveral publick and private Bills, was read accordingly, and the Royal Aſſent given to,

An Act to prohibit, for a limited Time, the making of Low Wines, and Spirits, from Wheat, Barley, Malt, or any other Sort of Grain, or from any Meal or Flour.

An Act for the Regulation of His Majeſty's Marine Forces, while on Shore.

An Act for amending, widening, and keeping in Repair, the Road from the Turnpike Road at the Bottom of Shaw Hill, in the Pariſh of Melkſham, through Googes Lane, Corſham, Biddeſtone, and Weſt Yatton, to the Turnpike Road at Upper Combe, in the Pariſh of Caſtle Combe, in the County of Wilts.

An Act for inlarging the Terms and Powers granted by two Acts of Parliament, one paſſed in the Third, and the other in the Seventeenth Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, for repairing the Road leading from a Gate called Shipſton Toll Gate, at Bridgtown, in the Pariſh of Old Stratford, in the County of Warwick, through Alderminſter and Shipſton upon Stower, to the Top of Long Compton Hill, in the ſaid County of Warwick; and alſo for repairing the Road, leading from the firſt Mile Stone, ſtanding on the ſaid Shipſton Road, through a Lane called Clifford Lane, and through Mickleton, and Chipping Campden, to a Place called Andover's Ford, in the County of Glouceſter.

And to two private Bills.

Dreſden, Feb. 20. On the 11th Inſtant, about Ten o'Clock at Night, the Stream of the Elve, that riſes in the Mountains of Bohemia, came down with ſuch Rapidity, that it broke up the Ice, and threw very large Pieces of it upon the Land at a ſurprizing Diſtance. The Noiſe it made was unſpeakable. Next Morning the Ice, meeting with ſome Obſtruction between this Place and Meiſſen, in its Paſſage down the Current, was ſtopt, and grew ſo high, that it came up to the Iron Rails of the Bridge. This laſted about an Hour, when it began to ſeparate and go off with the Stream. His Pruſſian Majeſty, and the Princes his Brothers, went into the Garden of the Palace, in order to look at ſo ſtrange and extraordinary a Sight. Yeſterday Morning the Regiment of the Duke of

of Bevern left this Town for the Reſt of the Winter. The purple Fever is very rife here, and ſeveral Soldiers of that Regiment having died of it, is the Reaſon of their going into other Quarters for the Benefit of the Air. Yeſterday in the Afternoon his Pruſſian Majeſty, and the Princes his Brothers, went on Horſeback to meet ſome Squadrons of the Regiment of Cavalry of Rochau, ſo that whole Regiment is now quartered in this City. The Regiment of his Majeſty's Life-Guards, into which that of the Saxon Horſe-Guards is incorporated, is alſo expected here.

Dreſden, Feb. 27. Laſt Week a Skirmiſh happened at Oſtritz in Upper Luſatia, between Littau and Gorlitz, which amounted to no more than this; a ſmall Body of Auſtrian Irregulars made a freſh Attempt to ſurprize a Battallion of Prince Henry's Regiment quartered there; but as yet we have not learned for certain which Party ſuffered moſt. Yeſterday Morning the King's Pleaſure was ſignified to all the Saxon Officers, who were allowed to be here on their Parole, as Priſoners of War, that they ſhould leave this City by the 11th of next Month, and repair to the different Places aſſigned them in Saxony. Theſe Orders of his Pruſſian Majeſty are thought very prudent, as it would appear very unnatural for them to be here, as ſo many Spies, at a Time when the moſt ſerious Diſpoſitions are making for opening the Campaign. The Wives of the Pruſſian Officers and Soldiers, who came to viſit their Husbands in their Winter Quarters, are alſo ordered to return to their reſpective Habitations by the Beginning of next Month.

Bruſſels, March 1. Diſpoſitions are making here, and in the other Places of the Auſtrian Dominions, for the Paſſage of the French Troops, which, it is poſitively ſaid, will begin their March by two Battallions at a Time, on the 16th Inſtant, in three Columns: The firſt through Binch Town, on the 21ſt; the ſecond through Binche towards the Maeſe; and the third through the Dutchy of Luxembourg. Their Commiſſaries are now diſperſed all over the Country. Neither the Commander in Chief, nor the other General Officers who are to be employed in this Army, are yet appointed. But the latter End of laſt Week the French King raiſed to the Rank of Marſhals of France, the eight following Lieutenants General, viz. the Marquis de Sennecterre, M. de Maubourg, the Duke de Mirepoix, the Duke de Biron, Lord Clare, the Duke de Luxembourg, Comte d'Eſtrées, and M. de Lautrec.

Bruſſels, March 4. The General, who is to have the Command in Chief of the French Army, is not yet declared; but Part of the other General Officers, and the *Marechaux des Logis* have received their Orders for marching, and ſome of them are even to be in Motion To-morrow, to make the neceſſary Preparations for the Paſſage of thoſe Troops, the firſt of which are to ſet out on the 16th Inſtant. The Body of Auſtrians, which is to join them, is to conſiſt of four Battallions, viz. one of Ligne, one of Los Rios, one of Saxe Gotha, and one of Salm.

Bruſſels, March 8. The Troops which are to compoſe the French Army that is to aſſemble on the Lower Rhine, will amount to 65 Battalions, and 30 Squadrons, making in all 49325 Men. The four Battalions of Auſtrians, which are to join this Army, are to be commanded by Major General Dombaſle.

Navy Office, February 22, 1757.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 23d of next Month, at Ten o'Clock in the Morning preciſely, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are willing to ſerve into His Majeſty's Stores at Deptford, a Quantity of Engliſh Canvas, that they may attend with their Propoſals at that Time. And ſuch Perſons as are reſident in the Country, and do not chuſe to attend on the Day of Treaty, will, by ſending a Letter to the ſaid Commiſſioners, tendering their Quantities and loweſt Prices, be entitled to an equal Proportion with other Perſons, provided their Demands are as reaſonable: And ſuch Perſons as intend to treat for the ſeveral Sorts of Canvas uſed in the Navy, from N° 1 to N° 8 inclufive, are to take Notice, that it is expected they fall in their Prices on the ſeveral Numbers according to cuſtom, which they are to ſignify their approval of in their Tenders.

Victualling Office, March 7, 1757.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Wedneſday the 20th of April next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat for a Quantity of Wine, to be delivered to His Majeſty's Ships at Oporto, Corunna, Vigo, and Viana.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London; or by applying to His Majeſty's Conſuls at Oporto and Corunna.

Victualling Office, March 7, 1757.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Friday the 22d of April next, exactly at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, they will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons as are inclinable to undertake the Victualling ſuch of His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels as ſhall arrive at Milford Haven, and be in Want of Proviſions.

The Conditions of the Contract may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling Office, London; or by applying to the Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Haverford Weſt.

Merchant Seamens Office, Royal Exchange.

A Quarterly General Court of the Preſident and Governors for Relief and Support of Sick, Maimed, and Diſabled Seamen, and of the Widows of ſuch who ſhall be

be Killed, Slain, or Drowned in the Merchants Service, will be held at this Office on Wedneſday the 30th of March Inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock.

By Order of the Preſident and Committee,
Dan. Campbell, *Secretary.*

March 12, 1757.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court, to conſider of a Dividend, will be held at the Bank, on Thurſday next the 17th Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon.

And alſo, that another General Court will be held at the Bank on Tueſday the 5th of April next, from Nine in the Forenoon to Six in the Afternoon, for the Election of a Governor, and Deputy Governor for the Year enſuing; which Election will be declared that Evening: And the ſaid Court will be continued by Adjournment, and held at the ſame Place, and during the ſame Hours, on Wedneſday the 6th of April, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors, (which will be alſo one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter): And the Election of the Twenty-four Directors will be declared as ſoon as the Scrutiny is over.

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IN Purſuance of a Decree of the High Court of Chancery of the 8th of Auguſt 1754, in a Cauſe wherein Robert Vincent and another, on Behalf of themſelves and all other Perſons who were Adventurers in the General Joint Stock of the Old Eaſt-India Company at the Time of their Diſſolution, are Plaintiffs; Anna Clarke, Widow, and others, are Defendants; and of the Maſter's Report made in Obedience thereto; —— Notice is hereby given to the ſaid Adventurers and their Repreſentatives, that the clear Reſidue of the Truſt Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Old Eaſt-India Company, directed by the ſaid Decree to be divided amongſt the ſaid Adventurers or their legal Repreſentatives, rateably and in Proportion to their Stock, amounts to One Pound, Seventeen Shillings, and Nine Pence Halfpenny, for every One Hundred Pound Stock; which is ready to be paid to ſuch of the Adventurers or their Repreſentatives, as ſtill remain unpaid, upon making out their Right and Title thereto; and they are deſired to apply to Stephen Hervey, Eſq; at his Houſe in Bedford Row, any Wedneſday or Thurſday Morning, between the Hours of Nine and Twelve o'Clock, in order to receive Satisfaction for the ſame.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Gill, late of Upwell in the Iſle of Ely and County of Cambridge, Shopkeeper, deceaſed, are peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Bennett, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Houſe in Curſitors-ſtreet, London, on or before the laſt Day of next Eaſter Term, otherwiſe they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors, who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Stephens, of Prince's-ſtreet, London, Merchant, may receive their Dividends, upon applying to Mr. Henſhaw near Alderſgate, any Wedneſday or Friday, between the Hours of Ten and Two of the Clock.

THE joint Creditors of Robert Kaines and William Kaines, of Wareham in the County of Dorſet, Coal-Merchants, Ironmongers, Brewers, and Chapmen, Bankrupts, who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion awarded againſt them, are deſired to meet together on Friday the 25th Day of March inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Golden Lyon Inn in Wareham aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; and alſo for compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Debts, Demands, or Diſputes relating thereto, (particularly the Accounts between the ſaid Bankrupts and Mr. Sumner and others, and the Diſpute touching an Execution levied on their Goods by Mr. Charles Hill) and other ſpecial Affairs.

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